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Examiner: J. Kolb Michener

Art Unit: 1762

Wouter E. Roorda et al.

Serial No.: 09/704,212

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Title: Hemocompatible Coatings On Hydrophobic Porous Polymers

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

## **RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Examiner Michener:

This responds to the Office Action dated 28 August 2002 (Paper No. 7), which has a shortened statutory response period that ended on 28 November 2002. The accompanying petition requests a two-month extension of time, extending the response period to 28 January 2003. I have attached a marked up version of the changes made to the specification and the claims entitled: "Marked-up Claims"

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